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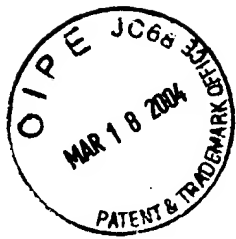
Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing this date please find a Response to Restriction Requirement Under 35 U.S.C. 121 regarding the above-captioned patent application. Also enclosed herewith is a Certificate of Mailing and a return receipt postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Restriction Requirement dated March 10, 2004, the applicant hereby elects claims 9-14 drawn to a method for manufacturing catalytic converters for examination until a generic claim is allowed.

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